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OF THE SHIP OF STATE

Distinguished Son of Ohio Takes the Oath in Senate Chamber on Account of Inclement Weather.

Parade Held in Spite of the Fact That the Streets of Washington Were Almost Impassable.

Washington, March 4.—The first chief executive to take the eath of office in the chamber of the senate in seventy-six years, William Howard Taft, today became president of the United States.

Accompanied to the capitol through a swirl of blinding snow by President Roosevelt and a guard of honor, Mr. Taft returned to the White House just as the sun began to force its way through the clouds. A sudden blizzard sweeping in from the nortiwest last night set awry the weather bureau's optimistic promise of 'fair and somewhat cooler,' and caused an abundonment of the outdoor ceremonies on the famous east front of the capitol, much to Mr. Taft's chagrin, and threatened for a time to stop the brilliant pageant of the afternoon.

Parade Finally Started.

However, a passageway was cleared along the center of Pennsylvania avenue and for nearly three hours President Taft and Vice President Sherman reviewed a service of the suppression of the change.

When they met at breakfast this morning Mr. Taft and President Roosevelt were as happy as two boys.

"I knew there would be a cold day when I was made president Roosevelt up to the moment I went out of office," and the capitol shortly after in o'clock, he found that the committee on arrangements had practically abandoned all hope of an outdoor ceremony.

Mr. Taft said he was anxious that the American people represented in the throngs which gathered every four years on the capitol plaza, should have their usual share in viewing the inauguration. It was deemed dangerous, however, to force upon the aged members of the suppression of the elements, and the president-and for nearly three hours President Taft.

Not Since Jackson's Time.

There was a wait of nearly two hours at the station, during which Mr. Roose-velt held an impromptu reception in the presidential suite. Many of his old friends among government officials and the dip-

President and Mrs. Waft were the cen

Trip to the Capitol.

thrown open as the return journey began, and President Taft, quickly recognized by the erowd, which stood enthusiastically unmindful of the snow and slush about them, was acclaimed all along the great distance of the avenue.

is flooding the western portion of the city. The pumps at the new sewer have not been working for a week and the result is

Wearing his broadest of smiles, ne bowed right and left in acknowledgment of the succeeding ovation that marked his progress to the White House.

extensions.

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Following the inaugural ceremonies in the senate, Theodore Roosevelt, again a private citizen, bade an affectionate adieu to his successor, while all in the historic chamber looked on in silence, and then he hurried away through a side door to take the train for New York. As he passed out of the chamber, Mr. Rooseveit was given an ovation quite the equal to that tendered to the new president. Outside the capitol the retiring chief executive was met by 800 members of the New York Republican committee and under their escort was driven to the Union station, a short three blocks away.

Roosevelt's Departure.

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Cheers In Senate Chamber. When President Roosevelt and Mr. Taft

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To all with whom he spoke, Mr. Roosevelt declared that, while he had "a bully time" as president, he was glad to lay down the duties of office. He praised his successor and especially commented unser the latter's inaugural address as a spendid effort.

The inaugural Ball.

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President and Mrs. Waft were the centers of interest at the culminating feature of the day—the inaugural ball in the Pension building. The scene in the cavernous building, which had been transformed into a canopied court of ivory and white, was another of the brilliant pictures quadrlennially painted here by the gathering of a vast and brilliant assemblage from every section of the country. With all the color and movement of a military spectacle, with the softening influence of delicately tinted gowns and including of the day.

Fireworks at Night.

While the ball was in progress indoors, a display of fireworks on the monument lot in the rear of the White House marked the end of the outdoor celebration. For hours the thinly-clouded heavens were alight with rockets, with sun clusters that challenged the brilliancy of day, with flery "cobras." and all the fantastic creations of modern pyrotechnic skill.

Prior to his visit to the ball, President Taft had entertained at tea in the White House the members of the Mrs. Taft at 7 o'clock, and had stopped in at the Metropolitan club to say a few words at the dinner of the Class of '78 at Yale.

Mr. Taft's day was one of continuing cheers and plaudits from the moment he first appeared on the White House portico to go to his inauguration, until hereturned, late tonight, an unwilling leavetaker from the inaugural ball.

Trip to the Capitol.

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The streets committee of the council Mr. and Mrs. Taft were the guests of the Roosevelts at the Whitel House last night, setting a new precedent in the courtesies of the executive mansion, as they did again today, when Mrs. Taft accompanied the newly-made president and Mr. Sherman, the new vice president, from the capitol at the head of the imposing parade to the White House. The presidential carriage, drawn by four bay horses, which had been closed against the storm as President Roosevelt and Mr. Taft made their way to the capitol, was thrown open as the return journey began, the work on sewer extensions 185, 182 and 189 following a resolution introduced in the city council Monday evening directing the board of works to order the contractor, and successfully carried through their plans.

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ROOSEVELT SAYS FAREWELL TO THE FRIENDS WHO FORMED HIS ESCORT

Pashington, March 4,-With thou-povation, which he greatly appreciated. sands of his countrymen bidding him an A band played "Auld Lang Syne." affectionate adieu, Theodore Roosevelt. retiring president of the United States, accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, departed from the national capital for his

Oyster Bay home at 3:30 this afternoon. As he was leaving the scene of seven said; years of strenuous activity, Mr. Roosevelt gave every indication of delight

drawing room in a Pullman car.

All the way from the capitol to the union station, where he arrived at 1:50 p. m., Mr. Roosevelt, escorted by the New York county Republican committee, 800 strong, received a tremendous did."

Intends, declare he was glad to give up his arduous duties.

"My, that was a fine inaugural address of Mr. Taft's," remarked Mr. Roosevelt, to Senator Root.

Mr. Root responded: "It was splended."

Addressing the escort, Mr. Roosevelt said:
"I want to thank you heartily for escorting me down to the station, and let me say to you how much I appreciate your country." Cook has a properly owners present seemed satisfied with this and the committee took no action. Mr. O'Connor said that work would be renewed on this extension by April if the weather proved favorable.

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Suicide of Frank C. Hollins, Greek From New York Arrested Thousands of Persons on Their Well Known in Wall Street as a Financier.

New York, March 4.-Made despondent by ill health and the collapse of a number of financial and industrial undertakings he had launched, Frank C. Hollins, 60 years old, the well-known Wall street banker, today committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas.

The banker was the lessee of a pretentious residence in East Sixty-eighth street, but this he sublet six months ago street, but this he sublet six months ago up the jewels with a bunch of refuse. when his health compelled his removan to a sanitarium.

position with his brother's firm, H. R. the gems. straw pulp manufacturing schemes. with a diamond of unusual size.

Among the companies in which he was The police had previously r & Electric company, the Federal Man-ufacturing & Specialty company, Elec-Savis tric Pulp & Paper company, Consolidated Paper & Mills company, and the Consolidated Railway Industrials Straw Paper company.

In 1886 Hollins became a director of the Lake Erie & Western Railroad comhad something to say last evening about the was chairman of the stock-the work on sewer extensions 185, 182 and holders' committee of reorganization,

All Defective Work Will Be Done Over Again.

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The property owners present

STRIKE IN CHICAGO.

in Omaha With Jewels in His Possession.

News Dispatch .- Mr. Harriman says he is wearing his last year's coat.

Omaha, Neb., March 4.-The police The Greek was arrested as the result of the suspicions of Albert Edhelan, a Hollins at one time held an important jeweler, to whom he tried to sell part of

Hollins & Co., but in 1886, following The necklace consists of a single some disagreement, he left to engage in strand of sixty-three pearls, carefully company promoting, particularly of matched and fastened with a clasp set The police had previously received

Among the companies in which he was interested and in connection with which he was involved last year in litigation amounting to more than a million dolar was said to have disappeared from the Union Pailway Power. lars, were the Union Railway Power Knickerbocker hotel in that city Nov. Savis said he was employed by the

months as sidewalk man. As he was sweeping the refuse from the sidewalk, he said. he saw the neck-lace lying in the gutter with some rub-

After going to his room that night, he said, he examined the pearls more closely and discovered a valuable diamond set in the small clasp. He kept the necklace in his trunk after that, little dreaming, he declares, its real worth He examined show windows for simi ar necklaces, hoping thereby to get an DISEASED AMERICAN MEAT ound they ranged from 25 cents to thousands of dollars

He said he thought the owner would any loss of valuable pearls, he conclud-The sidewalk extension covering some of the city was under fire at the meetsecured employment.

Many Persons Who Viewed the Inaugural Parade Seriously Ill and Two Fatalities Reported.

over being relieved of official cares. Looking somewhat tired but happy, the former president was deeply moved by the affectionate demonstration in his honor while waiting for his train at the station.

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LEAD POISONING.

Kanssa City, March 4—Miss Blanche was heaving allegel libelous publication or the pressure and many the result of exposure and many the state, may have resulted from eating company, publishers of the World. The value and other admiring friends, came there was a magnificent spectacle when the unison and shouted "Good-bye, Teddy."

Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt occupied a Mr. Nicholas Longmorth, held and called by men who have gained by the washington, March 5.—Which is few that the allegations may be the rising gained that are emplated government board in order that the allegations may be the first was larged to five washington, who desired to five washington, March 5.—Which is any the did you the station by Mrs. Roosevelt, who had been with the Panish and the first was reported the household who find the result of exposure and many the result of exposure and many the provision of the Walsh, the actress, is ill at the Balting of this train the allegations may be sufficiently from the the clied to forward Dr.

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Way to Witness Taft Inau-

guration Snowbound. Baltimore, March 4.-The storm of last

racks.
Snowdrifts also made traffic particularly

difficult between Baltimore and Washington and other sections within a radius of fifty-five miles of the city. At 5 a m. twenty-two trains were stalled be-tween Baltimore and Washington.

Wrecking gangs were hurried out, with the result that by noon the tracks were cleared up enough to permit slow traf-

Union station of the Pennsylvania rail-road was the Colonial Express, between Washington and Boston. This train left Washington and Boston. This train left Washington several hours after the scheduled time, 7:30 a. m., and arrived in Baltimore at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, nearly five hours late. It was crowded with Philadelphians, New Yorkers and others who decided to start for their homes rather than run the risk of being snowbound in the capital city over night. Two persons at least are known to have perished as a result of the storm. These were Policeman Thomas Worthington and were Policeman Thomas Worthington and Miss Marguerite Schumpf, who were elec-trocuted by coming in contact with fallen

make known his loss. Not learning of Startling Allegations of Medical Officer of the Port of London Concerning Recent Consignment.

London, March 4.—Startling allegations concerning the diseased condition of some recent consignments of American meat are contained in a report by Dr. Williams, medical officer of the port of London, presented to the city council today.

in the above consignment more than 600 cases of tongues, livers, plucks, etc., bore an official label, indicating that they had been inspected and passed as sound in the country of exportation.

The city council decided to forward Dr.

STEPHENSON ELECTED.

FOR THREE DOLLARS, THUGS KILL MAN IN GOLD BL

John C. Barnett Strangled and Beaten to Death in American House by Party of Hoboes.

Suspect With Bloodstained Shoe and Hat Is Held and Country Is Being Scoured for the Murderers.

One of the gang, Hugh Myers, is now confined in the city jail under strong suspicion, and the entire police department is scouring the city for the others, perfect descriptions of whom were obtained. The police of surrounding cities were also notified yesterday, and are on the watch for two men especially, one known among his pals as "Boston Joe," and the other by the name of Mann.

Good-naturedly Barnett accepted their acquaintance and, during the bantering talk that followed, bought several drinks. It was then suggested by one of the men that all three go up to their room upstairs, No. 42 of the American House, where they could sit and talk, and Barnett accepted willingly, showing his goodfellowship by buying three bottles of beer to take to the room.

That was the last seen of Barnett

fied the police, who took charge of the body until the arrival of the coroner, Stanley A. Hanks.

That Barnett was slain for the few dollars he had in his possession seems to be proved, and that he was slain by lay in a heap on the floor with the head tramps who arrived in the city just a back of the door, and the face so muew hours earlier seems to be equally

For the sake of \$3, John C. Barnett, | Barnett appeared at the Bombino aged 30 years, and a resident of Salt saloon shortly before 11 o'clock Wed-Lake for the past ten years, was mur-dered some time between midnight and V. Bombino in a friendly chat. Later dered some time between midnight and the two began shaking dice, the stakes 1 o'clock Thursday morning. The mur- being the drinks for the two. Both der was committed in the American were losers several times, and when House on Commercial street, and was discovered about 12:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. It is supposed to have been committed by a gang of "hoboes," three at least participating in the actual murder.

Barnett on one occasion lost he threw a \$5 gold piece on the bar, receiving his change, something like \$4.50. Just at this time, while he was picking up the change, two men, now identified as "Boston Joe" and Mann, entered and forced themselves into the company. One of the gang, Hugh Myers, is now Good-naturedly Barnett accepted their

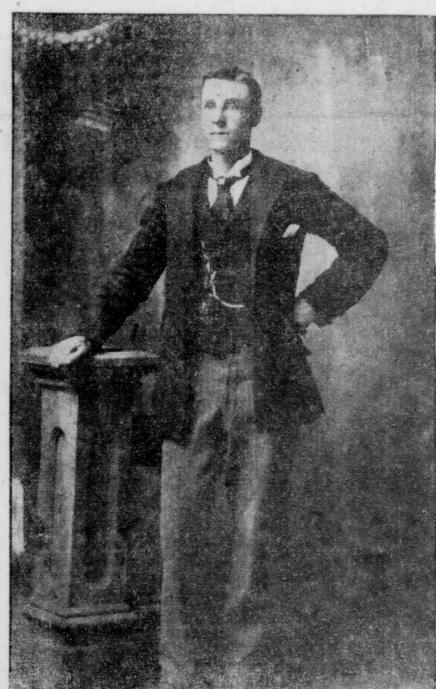
Mann.

The lifeless body of Barnett was found on the floor in room 42 of the American House yesterday about 12:30 o'clock by a chambermaid, whose screams of fear and terror brought to her side C. W. Beck, day clerk of the rooming house. Beck promptly notified the police, who took charge of the

Marred Beyond Recognition.

Judging from appearances, Barnett

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JOHN C. BARNETT.

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a conscientious newspaper is an asset fined, is as immoral as sensational.

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popularly the subjects for foul attack STRIKE IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, March 4.—Five hundred iron shipbuilders and boilermakers employed by the Chicago Shipbuilding company, in South Chicago, went on strike yesterday against a 10 per cent cut in wages.

STRIKE IN CHICAGO.

WOMAN MURDERED.

STEPHENSON ELECTED.

Madison. Wis., March 4.—Isaac + Stephenson was today re-elected to the United States senate by the joint today at her home near here. Last Thurs-based corruptionist tack

Saugatuck, Mich., March 4.—Isaac + Stephenson was today re-elected to the United States senate by the joint to adopt in facing the problems of our time is one of sneering and supercilious untruthfulness."